#### THE CALIFORNIA DEBT LIMIT ALLOCATION COMMITTEE

### January 28, 2009 Staff Report

# REQUEST FOR A QUALIFIED PRIVATE ACTIVITY BOND ALLOCATION FOR A QUALIFIED RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROJECT

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**Applicant:** Housing Authority of the City of San Diego

**Allocation Amount Requested:** 

**Tax-exempt:** \$10,606,924

**Project Information:** 

Name: Village Green Apartments

Project Address: 4140, 4150 & 4155 Bonillo Drive Project City, County, Zip Code: San Diego, San Diego 92115

The proposed Project is located in a Community Revitalization area, more specifically in the Crossroads Redevelopment Project Area.

**Project Sponsor Information:** 

Name: Wakeland Village Green Apts., L.P. (Wakeland Village Green Apts.,

LLC and Wakeland Housing and Development Corporation)

Principals: Kenneth L. Sauder and Joan Edelman

**Project Financing Information:** 

**Bond Counsel**: Quint & Thimmig LLP

**Underwriter**: Not Applicable

Credit Enhancement Provider: Not Applicable
Private Placement Purchaser: US Bank N.A.

October 7, 2008

**TEFRA Hearing**: October 7, 2008

**Description of Proposed Project:** 

State Ceiling Pool: General

**Total Number of Units:** 92, plus 1 manager unit

Type: Acquisition and Rehabilitation

Type of Units: Family

**Description of Public Benefits:** 

Percent of Restricted Rental Units in the Project: 100%

11% (10 units) restricted to 50% or less of area median income households. 89% (82 units) restricted to 60% or less of area median income households.

**Unit Mix:** 2 & 3 bedrooms

**Term of Restrictions:** 

**Income and Rent Restrictions:** 55 years

Estimated Total Development Cost: \$ 20,643,805 Estimated Hard Costs per Unit: \$ 29,784 (\$2,740,144 /92 units) Estimated per Unit Cost: \$ 224,389 (\$20,643,805 /92 units)

**Allocation per Unit:** \$ 115,293 (\$10,606,924 /92 units)

**Allocation per Restricted Rental Unit:** \$ 115,293 (\$10,606,924 /92 restricted units)

Sources of Funds:	Construction		Permanent	
Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds	\$	10,606,924	\$ 6,572,221	
Developer Equity	\$	229,136	\$ 229,136	
Deferred Developer Fee	\$	0	\$ 300,000	
LIH Tax Credit Equity	\$	1,064,557	\$ 5,410,784	
Direct & Indirect Public Funds	\$	7,421,264	\$ 7,953,542	
Deferred Pmnt. Public Sector Soft Debt	\$	178,122	\$ 178,122	
Total Sources	\$	19,500,003	\$ 20,643,805	
Uses of Funds:				
Acquisition Costs	\$	13,200,000		
On & Off Site Costs	\$	233,778		
Hard Construction Costs	\$	2,506,366		
Architect & Engineering Fees	\$	105,000		
Contractor Overhead & Profit	\$	383,619		
Developer Fee	\$	1,200,000		
Relocation	\$	568,691		
Cost of Issuance	\$	93,070		
Capitalized Interest	\$	528,096		
Other Soft Costs (Marketing, etc.)	\$	1,825,185		
Total Uses	\$	20,643,805		

### **Legal Questionnaire:**

The Staff has reviewed the Applicant's responses to the questions contained in the Legal Status portion of the application. No information was disclosed to question the financial viability or legal integrity of the Applicant.

**Total Points:** 98 out of 128

[See Attachment A]

#### **Recommendation:**

Staff recommends that the Committee approve \$10,606,924 in tax exempt bond allocation.

## ATTACHMENT A

### **EVALUATION SCORING:**

Point Criteria	Maximum Points Allowed for Non- Mixed Income Projects	Maximum Points Allowed for Mixed Income Projects	Points Scored
Federally Assisted At-Risk Project or HOPE VI Project	20	20	0
Exceeding Minimum Income Restrictions:	35	15	25
Exceeding Minimum Rent Restrictions [Allowed if 10 pts not awarded above in Federally Assisted At-Risk Project or HOPE VI Project]	[10]	[10]	10
Gross Rents	5	5	5
Large Family Units	5	5	0
Leveraging	10	10	10
Exceeding Minimum Term of Restrictions	10	10	10
Community Revitalization Area	15	15	10
Site Amenities	10	10	10
Service Amenities	10	10	10
New Construction	10	10	0
Sustainable Building Methods	8	8	8
Negative Points	-10	-10	0
Total Points	128	108	98

The criteria for which points are awarded will also be incorporated into the Resolution transferring Allocation to the Applicant as well as the appropriate bond documents and loan and finance agreements.